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PRESIDE & McGINLEY PRESIDING

PRESIDENT: (Microphone not activated)...in Falls City, Nebraska, now a Lincoln resident and a guest of Senator Morehead, I present to you the Reverend Richard Dinsdale.

REVEREND DINSDALE: (Prayer offered.)

PRESIDENT: Thank you very much, Reverend Dinsdale. Quorum call, record your presence, please. Members, please record their presence. Members should report to the Chamber. The Legislature is attempting to acquire a quorum. Well, go ahead and record them, Pat, and we will....

CLERK: There is a quorum present, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Quorum present. The Legislature is in session. Corrections to the Journal.

CLERK: Mr. President, on page 1253 in line 7 strike "37" and insert "17".

PRESIDENT: Without objection so ordered, and messages on the desk.

CLERK: Mr. President, I have a communication from the Secretary of State and the Governor's office regarding the appointment of Ronald E. Withem as a member of the Legislature for the 14th Legislative District, as well as Oath of office. Those documents will be inserted in the Journal. (See pages 1282 through 1284 of the Journal.)

Mr. President, I have an Attorney General's Opinion addressed to Senator Wiitala, a second to Senator Johnson, Senator Lowell Johnson, and a third to Senator Vard Johnson. All three will be in the Journal. (See pages 1264 through 1287 of the Journal.)

Mr. President, communication from the Governor addressed to the Clerk. (Read communication regarding LBs 277, 438, 497, 241, 365 and 414 as found on page 1288 of the Journal.) A second, Mr. President, addressed to the Clerk. (Read communication regarding LBs 188, 223, 240, 281, 282, 282A, 299 and 378 as found on page 1288 of the Journal.)

Mr. President, Senator Haberman would like to print amendments to 573 and 579 in the Journal. (See pages 1288 and 1289 of the Journal.)

I have a request from Senator Marsh to be excused from April 5 through April 7th.